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Application of: Roemer *et al.*

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For: GENE DISRUPTION METHODOLOGIES

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FOR DRUG TARGET DISCOVERY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated February 27, 2000, be extended for a period of 2 months from April 27, 2002 to and including June 27, 2002.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$200 (Small entity). Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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